Ordinary Subjects.

I. Consideration of accounts of receipts and expenditure and other vital statistics for the month of September 1911, with the auditors' report.

Passed.

Messrs. K. Sreekantiah and Subbanna appointed auditors.

II. Proceedings of the Managing and Health Committees.

Confirmed.

III. Proceedings of the Schools Committee.

Confirmed.

IV. Government Proceedings No. 2350-2—Ml. 94-11-2, dated 20th September 1911, informing that the enhanced pension recommended to the Water Inspector Annadore Iyer is inadmissible.

Recorded.

V. Letter No. 2657—Ml. 422-10-2, dated 13th October 1911, from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments, requesting to report as to how the compensation of Rs. 3,700 to be paid by the Public Works Department for the Clarke's Chattram at Mysore will be spent and whether the work will be put in hand during the current official year.

Resolved that the amount will be utilized for building another chattram on a site to be selected by the Council at a very early date.

VI. Letter No. 2601-10—Ml. 132-11-2, dated 11th October 1911, from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments, requesting to take immediate action regarding funds required for the celebration of the Coronation festivities in the City in December next.

Resolved that Government be approached with a request that the Municipal grant be raised to Rs. 2,000 and that the grant from State Funds be raised to Rs. 5,000 considering that the prices of articles have risen considerably high since the last celebration.

A Sub-Committee be formed to draw up a programme and prepare a budget:—

The Vice-President.
Revd. Mr. Gulliford.
Mr. M. C. Rangiengar.
Mr. Venkatakrishnaiya.
Mr. Mahomed Jaffer Saheb.
Mr. K. Sreekantiah.
Mr. Anniah Pandit.

VII. Draft Administration Report for 1910-11.

Adopted.

VIII. Government Proceedings No. 2996-7—Ml. 130-11-2, dated 27th October 1911, sanctioning an estimate for Rs. 1,283 for the removal of two back staircases and putting an ornamental wooden staircase on the southern verandah of the Rangacharlu Memorial Hall.

Recorded.

IX. Health Committee's recommendation about supply of clothing to the Conservancy staff.

Deferred.

M. KANTARAJ URS,
President.

HASSAN DISTRICT.

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEETING OF THE HASSAN DISTRICT BOARD, HELD ON THE 26TH SEPTEMBER 1911.

PRESENT.

P. R. W. Wetherall, Esq., President.

Ex-officio Members.

Mr. M. Srinivasa Murti, Vice-President.
„ V. Aiyasami Iyer, B.A., B.C.E., Executive Engineer, Hassan Division.
„ G. Asirvatham, M.B., C.M., District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Hassan.
„ K. N. Virabhadraiya, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Hassan.

Non-official Members.

Mr. M. Lakshminarasimhachar, Hassan Taluk.
" K. Mahadevappa, Hassan Taluk.
" W. L. Crawford, Manjarabad Taluk.
" H. Dasappa, Arsikere Taluk.
" Kencharaya Setti, Arsikere Taluk.
" G. Tirunaranaiengar, Channarayapatna Taluk.
" Dharanaiya Setti, Channarayapatna Taluk.
" Chikkabede Nanjanna, Channarayapatna Taluk.
" Abdulla Sab, Arkalgud Taluk.
" Suryanarayana Setti, Arkalgud Taluk.

ABSENT.

Ex-officio Members.

Mr. C. Devaraj Urs, Assistant Commissioner, Channarayapatna Division.
" S. P. Rajagopalachari, B.A., B.L., Assistant Commissioner, Saklespur, Sub-Division. (On casual leave.)

Non-official Members.

Mr. Nanjegowda *alias* Puttegowda, Manjarabad Taluk.
" K. Thammaiya, Belur Taluk.
" Habibulla Sab, Belur Taluk.
" N. D. Venkataramaiya, Hole-Narsipur Taluk.
" Mahalinge Gowda, Arkalgud Taluk.

N. B.—All the Amildars (except the Amildars of Belur, Arsikere and Arkalgud) and the Deputy Amildar of Alur were present.

I. (*a*) Read Government Proceedings No. 1274-5—L. B. 20-11-2, dated 8th August 1911, sanctioning the establishment of a toll-gate near Biddapur on the Somavarpet-Konanur road in Arkalgud Taluk and the levy of tolls thereat, with effect from 1st July 1911, and directing that the net receipts of the toll-gate be divided equally between the Hassan and Coorg District Boards, the working and control of the toll-gate being vested in the District Board of Hassan.

(*b*) Read Government Order No. 1980-1—L. B. 20-11-5, dated 11th September 1911, according sanction to the entertainment of a toll-gote mutsaddi and a peon on a pay of Rs. 10 and Rs 7 per mensem, respectively, to manage the collection of tolls near Siddapur on the Somavarpet-Konanur road during the year 1911-12.

Resolution.—Recorded.

II. (*a*) Read Government Proceedings No. 1392-3—Med. 21-11-2, dated 15th August 1911, sanctioning the opening of the Vaidyasala at Sravanabelgola in the Channarayapatna Taluk, with an establishment at a cost not exceeding Rs. 30 per mensem, being met out of the provision sanctioned in the District Fund Budget for 1911-12.

(*b*) Read also application dated 5th September 1911, received from P. Venkatasubbaiya, Native Pandit of Kikkeri Vaidyasala, Krishnarajpete Taluk, Mysore District, praying for his appointment as a Native Pandit of Sravanabelgola on the ground that the grant of Rs. 10 now paid to him at Kikkeri is insufficient for his maintenance.

Resolution.—Resolved that the Vaidyasala at Sravanabelgola be opened as soon as a competent Pandit or Vaidya can be found for being appointed on Rs. 15 per mensem.

Further resolved that a copy of the certificate produced by the applicant P. Venkatasubbaiya be sent to Mr. Kemparama Pandit of the Ayurvedic College, Mysore (who granted the same) enquiring whether the applicant underwent the prescribed course in that College; and that the President of the Mysore District Board be addressed to ascertain whether he consents to the transfer of the applicant from the Kikkeri Vaidyasala to the Sravanabelgola Vaidyasala.

III. Read letter No. 1054-60, dated 17th August 1911, from the President, District Board, Mysore, forwarding a copy of their resolution for consultation with the District Board of Hassan in the matter of subscribing towards the relief measures in connection with the destruction of property caused by the unusually high floods in the Cauvery in the Mysore District, during the heavy rains from 19th to 22nd July 1911.

Resolution.—Resolved that this Board propose to contribute Rs. 300 to the fund; but as there is no provision in the sanctioned District Fund Budget for 1911-12, from which the amount could be re-appropriated, Government be moved to sanction the expenditure from the closing balance, as a special case, since the estimated closing balance as per accounts maintained in the President's office is much higher than the prescribed minimum working balance.

IV. Read Executive Engineer's docket No. 617, dated 25—28th August 1911, forwarding for countersignature and return an estimate amounting to Rs. 73 for repairing the Local Fund Dispensary at Belur.

Resolution.—Resolved that the estimate be countersigned and returned to the Executive Engineer for execution of the work in the Public Works Department, the

District Board quota of the cost being met out of the provision of Rs. 33 provided for the same under "IX. Contributions (8)" in the District Fund Budget for 1911-12.

V. Read proposals of Mr. M. Lakshminarasimhachar of Hassan Taluk and Messrs. N. Venkataramaiya and Subba Rao of Hole-Narsipur Taluk, Dasara Representative Assembly Members, in the matter of opening a road from Srinivaspur to join the Hassan-Hole-Narsipur road, as much difficulty is felt by the people for want of a bridge across the Hemavati near Gunni.

Resolution.—Resolved that the Executive Engineer be requested to have an estimate prepared for the proposed work at an early date (if not previously prepared), so that the estimated cost may be included in the budget estimates under Local Funds General in February next.

VI. Read Government Proceedings No. 631-80—Med. 2-08-95, dated 22nd July 1911, prescribing rules regulating the grant of concessions to Government servants and indigent persons bitten by a rabid animal to proceed to the Pasteur Institute at Coonoor for treatment.

Resolution.—Recorded.

VII. Read Government Order No. 2260-2—L. B. 19-11-4, dated 16th September 1911, sanctioning the purchase of a Hallikar breeding bull for the Hassan District Board, the charge being met from the provision of Rs. 250 made in the District Fund Budget for 1911-12, under "C. X. Miscellaneous (6) Amrut Mahal bulls."

Resolution.—Resolved that the Amildar of Arkalgud Taluk be requested to select a suitable Hallikar breeding bull for purchase by the District Board at the ensuing cattle show to be held at Ramnathpur on the 28th and 29th November 1911.

VIII. Read letter No. 433, dated 18th September 1911, from the District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Hassan, returning the plan and estimate for Rs. 2,670 for constructing Hospital Assistant's quarters at Konanur and stating that the site selected for the purpose is free from objections on sanitary grounds (*vide* District Board Resolution No. VIII, dated 7th August 1911).

Resolution.—Resolved that as the plan and estimate have already been countersigned by the President and by the Senior Surgeon, the same be returned to the Executive Engineer for starting the work as early as possible, the District Board quota of half the cost amounting to Rs. 1,335 being met out of the provision of Rs. 1,500 made for the work "IX. Contributions (6)" of the District Fund Budget of 1911-12.

IX. Read letter No. 688, dated 19th September 1911, from the Executive Engineer, Hassan Division, forwarding a detailed list of works under "A. Public Works—II. Repairs," proposed to be undertaken during the year 1911-12, as called for in para V of Government Order No. 10420-32—L. B. 251-10-2, dated 21st June 1911, and also forwarding the following estimates for countersignature and return :—

				Rs.
(1)	Estimate for repairing 3rd class travellers' bungalow at Arkalgud	...	...	202
(2)	Do putting up monsoon thatties to 3rd class travellers' bungalow at Bisle	...	...	21
(3)	Do do Marnahalli	...	...	31
(4)	Do do Arehalli	...	...	32
(5)	Do do Hanbal	...	...	28
(6)	Do do Sukravarsante	...	...	30

(*Vide* Resolutions Nos. VII and IX of the District Board meeting held on 7th August 1911.)

Resolution.—Recorded and resolved that the list of proposed works of repairs be sent up to Government as called for.

Further resolved that the estimate for repairs to the 3rd class travellers' bungalow at Arkalgud be countersigned and returned for execution, the cost of Rs. 202 being met out of Rs. 1,000 provided under "A. Public Works—II. Reserve for repairs to 3rd class travellers' bungalows" in the District Fund Budget for 1911-12.

As also the estimates for monsoon screening work done to the 3rd class travellers' bungalows named, the total cost of Rs. 142 being met out of Rs. 210 provided under the same "Reserve" heading of the budget.

X. Read Executive Engineer's docket No. 691, dated 26th September 1911, forwarding for countersignature and return the following estimates for monsoon thatties put up to the following Local Fund Dispensaries :—

		Rs.
(1)	At Hanbal	27
(2)	At Arehalli	31
(3)	At Yeslurpet	28
(4)	At Saklespur	51

Resolution.—Resoved that the estimates for the monsoon screening works executed to the four Local Fund Dispensaries named be countersigned and returned, the total

quota of cost amounting to Rs. 60 being met out of the provisions made for the several works under "IX. Contributions" 14 to 17 in the District Fund Budget for 1911-12.

XI. (*a*) Read Executive Engineer's docket No. 685, dated 19th September 1911, furnishing a list of incomplete works of last year 1910-11, under "A. Public Works" requiring appropriation.

(*b*) Also list of incomplete works under "B. Public Works."

Resolution.—Resolved that the list be sent up to Government for sanction, the balance of appropriation amounting to Rs. 240 for purchase of another new boat for Ramnathpur ferry being met out of Rs. 1,000 provided under "A. Public Works—I. Original" in the District Fund Budget for 1911-12; also the five works of repairs out of the provisions of Rs. 1,000 and Rs. 300 under "A. Public Works—II. Repairs, Reserve" in the same budget.

Further resolved that the list of incomplete works under "B. Public Works" requiring an aggregate appropriation of Rs. 8,121 during 1911-12, be sent up to Government for sanction, part of the cost being met out of Rs. 3,081 provided for the purpose and the balance out of the provisions made for new works under "B. Public Works I and II" in the District Fund Budget for 1911-12, such works as are not urgent being required to be deferred.

XII. Read letter No. 71-6—Agri. Comt., dated 1st—6th September 1911, from the Secretary to the Agricultural Committee of the Mysore Economic Conference, forwarding copy of letter dated 31st July 1911, from Mr. J. W. Chambers with copy of resolution No. 11 of the Committee regarding the havoc committed by the jola grasshopper together with a copy of the summary of discussion, and requesting that the subject may be placed before the District and Taluk Board and the District Agricultural Committee and their opinions in the matter furnished.

Resolution.—After some discussion this Board are of opinion that the only practicable suggestion is deep ploughing and that raiyats be advised to make use of better and more effective ploughs, for which they should reserve their larger and better bullocks instead of their undersized and worst bullocks. It is often now observed that the former class of bullocks are reserved for carts and for selling at a profit. This the true agricultural raiyat must learn to modify.

XIII. Read letter No. 952, dated 24th August 1911, from the Officiating Sanitary Commissioner in Mysore, recommending the replacement of the Plague Supervisor employed in the Manjarabad Taluk by a duly qualified Sanitary Inspector, as, in accordance with Government No. 2180-9—San. 3-05-03, dated 30th August 1905, the pay of Sanitary Inspectors employed in frontier taluks, is to be met from the Plague, District and Municipal Funds in the proportion of $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{4}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$ respectively.

Resolution.—Resolved that this Board are of opinion that it is impossible for even a fully qualified Sanitary Inspector to discharge the duties of a Sanitary Inspector, Work Inspector and Frontier Plague Supervisor, and that if sanction be obtained to abolish the frontier observation duty altogether, it will be only then possible for a single Sanitary Inspector to discharge the first mentioned two duties, the present Work Inspector being then absorbed into some other establishment when vacancy renders that possible.

XIV. Date of the next cattle-show at Hassan to be fixed.

Resolution.—Resolved that the dates of the next cattle show at Hassan be fixed for the 4th and 5th January 1912.

XV. Read the District Fund Administration Report and accounts of the year 1910-11, and proceedings of the Finance Committee.

Resolution.—Resolved that the Administration Report and the accompanying statements for 1910-11 be passed and submitted to Government.

XVI. Read Hassan Taluk Amildar's report No. 312, dated 13th September 1911, submitting for sanction an estimate amounting to Rs. 104 for purchase of two sets of vessels for use of the 1st class Musafirkhana at Hassan.

Resolution.—Resolved that the estimate be sanctioned for Rs. 104 to be met out of Rs. 250 provided under "C. Civil Charges—Purchase of vessels for Musafirkhanas" in the District Fund Budget for 1911-12.

XVII. Read the following estimates of budgetted works, received from the Amildars of Hassan, Manjarabad and Arsikere Taluks :—

Hassan Taluk—

	Rs.
(1) Repairing 4th class Musafirkhana at Chikmallenahalli ...	75
(2) Repairing cattle-pound at Bylahalli	94
(3) Repairing roads and drains in Grama Union ...	125

	Rs.
(4) Repairing Musafirkhana at Dudda	50
(5) Revetting the well at Halavagal ...	266
(6) Revetting the well at Kulladevarahalli	195
(7) Constructing a parapat wall to the well at Madenur ...	50
(8) Revetting the well at Dudda Musafirkhana	290
(9) Sinking a draw well at Chattanahalli	193

Manjarabad Taluk—

	Rs.
(1) Constructing a cattle-pound at Belagode	432
(2) Repairing the Ubba road	32
(3) Do well at Hettur	25
(4) Do Hettur-Kerodi road	79
(5) Do Hoskote-Eachalbede road	40
(6) Improving Kadamane-Marnahalli road	80
(7) Repairing the chattram at Sukravarsante	47
(8) Repairing the road leading to the Koppal in Yeslurpet Union	150
(9) Do Hanse-Saniyarsante road	40
(10) Do cattle-pound at Sukravarsante	91*

*The excess cost of Rs. 31 being met from the balance of funds available under "(7) Repairing the chattram at Sukravarsante."

Arsikere Taluk—

	Rs.
(1) Repairing the Musafirkhana near the Railway Station in Banawar Union	100

Resolution—Resolved that the estimates for the above budgetted works be sanctioned for the amounts noted against each and returned to the respective Amildars for having the works executed early.

XVIII. Read Hassan Taluk Amildar's report No. 373, dated 20th September 1911, forwarding for sanction an estimate for Rs. 40 for purchase of furniture for the Musafirkhanas at Dudda and Chikmallenahalli.

Resolution.—Resolved that Rs. 20 only be sanctioned for a table and two chairs for Chikmallenahalli Musafirkhana, but not for Dudda Musafirkhana, as there is also a travellers' bungalow at Dudda.

XIX. Read Hassan Taluk Amildar's report No. 365, dated 20th September 1911, forwarding for sanction an estimate for Rs. 300 for revetting the well at Kondajji.

Resolution.—Resolved that the estimate be sanctioned for Rs. 300, the cost being met from the sanctioned budget under "Local Funds General."

XX. Read Hassan Taluk Amildar's report No. 372, dated 20th September 1911, forwarding for sanction an estimate amounting to Rs. 50 for repairing a portion of the old Sub-Taluk Cutcherry building wherein the Vaidyasala at Grama is located.

Resolution.—Resolved that sanction of Government be obtained to this urgent work at a cost of Rs. 50, the cost being met out of Rs. 75 provided for improving the cart-track to Ambuga from the Ilwal-Hassan road, which work the Amildar will get done by the villagers themselves.

XXI. Read Hassan Taluk Amildar's report No. 387, dated 26th September 1911, submitting for sanction an estimate amounting to Rs. 200 for revetting the well in Grama Union.

Resolution.—Resolved that, owing to scarcity of drinking water at Grama sanction of Government be obtained to this estimate for Rs. 200, the cost being met partly from the balance of Rs. 200 (*viz.*, Rs. 125) provided for "Repairs to Chikmallenahalli Musafirkhana" and partly from the balance of Rs. 200 (*viz.*, Rs. 75) provided for repairs to drains in Grama Union under "B. Public Works II" in the District Fund Budget for 1911-12.

XXII. Read letters from the following members of the District Board expressing their inability to attend the meeting :—

(1) Mr. Nanjegowda *alias* Puttegowda, Manjarabad Taluk.
(2) „ K. Thammaiya, Belur Taluk.
(3) „ Mahalingegowda, Arkalgud Taluk.

Resolution.—Recorded.

XXIII. Resolved that next meeting of the Board be fixed for Monday the 4th of December 1911, at 1 P.M.

P. R. W. WETHERALL,
President.